

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

Fort Des Moines Church of Christ, a nonprofit
religious corporation,

Plaintiff,

v.

Angela Jackson, Patricia Lipski, Mathew
Hosford, Tom Conley, Douglas Oelschlaeger,
Lily Lijun Hou, and Lawrence Cunningham,
each in his or her official capacity as
Commissioners of the Iowa Civil Rights
Commission; Kristen H. Johnson, in her official
capacity as the Executive Director of the Iowa
Civil Rights Commission; Tom Miller, in his
capacity as the Attorney General of the state of
Iowa; and the City of Des Moines, Iowa,

Defendants.

Case No. 4:16-cv-00403-SMR-CFB

**PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR
PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION**

Oral Argument Requested

MOTION

Plaintiff Fort Des Moines Church of Christ by and through its counsel, brings this Motion for a Preliminary Injunction pursuant to Rule 65 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, based on Plaintiffs Memorandum in Support of Its Motion for a Preliminary Injunction, the Declaration of Michael Demastus, and exhibits thereto, filed herewith, and the Verified Complaint previously filed with the Court.

Plaintiff seeks a preliminary injunction prohibiting the Defendants from enforcing or applying Iowa Code § 216.7 (1) (a) and (b) of the Iowa Civil Rights Act, and Des Moines City Code, § 62-136(1) and (2). Plaintiff respectfully requests oral argument on this motion. A proposed order is provided.

Respectfully submitted this 13th day of July, 2016.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on, I electronically filed the foregoing paper with the Clerk of Court by using the CM/ECF system.

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Date: July 13, 2016

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